

## **Wisewire Spanish 1 – 7.7: *Mis viajes* and *Cultura*: Independent Study**

This lesson has been designed to provide students with an opportunity to integrate the vocabulary, grammar, and culture concepts previously acquired: **modes of transportation, the beach, weather, prepositions, contractions, and the history of Florida: San Agustin, Immigration from Latin America, cultural fusion, geography, and ecology**. It also provides an opportunity for researching and writing, and covers the Connections, Comparisons, and Communities ACTFL standards.

Students and their tutor watch the Spanish version of the vocabulary and grammar video together. Then, students must complete two engaging extension activities: ***Mis viajes and Cultura***, which will allow them to create projects that can be shared with their classmates or family to show the Spanish knowledge gained up to this point. Each activity includes its corresponding rubric. It is a valuable resource than can also be used for homework.

**HS Spanish Semester 1A Unit 7**  
**Unit Name: Mis viajes/My travels**  
**Lección 7.7: Independent Study**

**DAY 7 – Lección 7.7**

**Day 7 – Introducción**

**¡Comenzamos!**

Today, we will complete some extension activities. The first one will give you the chance to become a cartoonist by creating a comic strip about a person going to the beach. For the second activity, you will write a dialog in Spanish between two people talking about the weather. Use your new vocabulary and your imagination!

**Objetivos**

1. Demonstrate knowledge of vocabulary related to the beach and weather.
2. Use the verb "**gustar**" to express what someone likes or doesn't like.
3. Use communication skills (reading, writing, listening, and speaking) to produce meaningful Spanish text and speech.

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**Vocabulario y gramática**

Let's practice the Spanish vocabulary words that you learned in this unit.



**Day 7 – Independent Study**

**¡Llegó la hora de estudiar!**

**Extension Activity 1. Complete the following activity using all of the Spanish vocabulary, grammar, and culture concepts you have learned so far.**

**Title: Las aventuras del Sonso Bronzo (The adventures of Bronzo the Silly)**

**Outcome: A comic strip with 6-8 panels**

**Materials:**

paper  
 straightedge  
 colored pencils or markers

**Follow these steps below to create your comic strip. Use the rubric at the end of this activity to make sure your work is complete.**

- Your assignment is to create a comic strip showing a silly person going to the beach in an odd outfit. Then you will sketch and label the items that a person *ought* to wear or bring to the beach in order to have a good time. You do not need to be a great artist, but do your best to make your work neat and attractive.
- Use a straightedge to draw panels for your comic strip. In the first panel, draw a person named **El Sonso Bronzo** (“Bronzo the Silly” –you have the option to change the name, if you wish) wearing a silly outfit and taking inappropriate items for a trip to the beach. Go ahead and use your imagination for your drawing. For example, he might be wearing a winter coat, scarf, and boats and pulling a sled.
- In the next 4-6 panels, sketch at least eight items that a person would actually wear or take to the beach. Use the vocabulary you have learned in this unit to label each item. Include at least one item whose name you have not yet learned in Spanish. Look up the Spanish translation of the word and use it to label your drawing.
- In the final panel, sketch a picture of Bronzo wearing an appropriate outfit and bringing some of the beach items you identified.
- Give your comic strip the title “**Las aventuras del Sonso Bronzo**” (“The adventures of Bronzo the Silly”).
- Share your completed work with your classmates and/or friends.

	<b>Content</b>	<b>Vocabulary</b>	<b>Quality</b>
<b>Excellent (9-10)</b>	The comic strip includes more than eight items that are appropriate to wear or take to the beach.	All of the beach items are correctly labeled with their Spanish name.	The comic strip shows considerable effort and is clever and neatly done.
<b>Good (7-8)</b>	The comic strip includes eight items that are appropriate to wear or take to the beach.	Most of the beach items are correctly labeled with their Spanish name.	The comic strip shows a good effort and is neatly done.
<b>Fair (6)</b>	The comic strip includes fewer than eight items that are appropriate to wear or take to the beach.	Some of the beach items are correctly labeled with their Spanish name.	The comic strip shows some effort and is somewhat neat.
<b>Poor (5)</b>	The comic strip includes fewer than four items that	Few of the beach items are correctly labeled with their	The comic strip shows little effort or imagination and is